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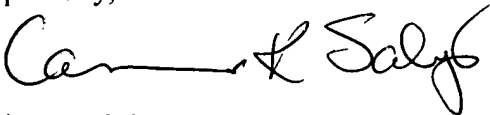
X 20 Pages of Specification including an Abstract  
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